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For: Method and Apparatus and ) Examiner: Anil N. Kumar  
Computer Program Product )  
for Deploying Software Via )  
Post-Load Images )  
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App. No.: 10/692,143 )  
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Applicant's Docket: )  
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**REPLY A**

This reply is responsive to Examiner's Office Action of March 28, 2007.

If an extension of time is required, Applicant hereby petitions for extension of time and authorizes payment of late fee from International Business Machines Corporation deposit account: 09-0447.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.